IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Examiner:

LI, Lanna OH, Taylor V

Serial No.: 10/519,376 Group Art Unit: 1625

Filed: **December 20, 2004** Confirmation No.: 4784

For: Ortho-substituted benzoic acid derivatives for the treatment of insulin

resistance

Mail Stop: Amendment VIA EFS WEB

Commissioner of Patents Date Sent: August 02, 2007

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

This Amendment and Request for Reconsideration is filed in response to the Office Action dated May 03, 2007 in connection with the above-identified patent application. Applicants respectfully request that the application be amended as follows.

Listing of the Claims, reflecting current amendments, begins on page 2 of this paper. **Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.